BEARFACTS 1993 – 2003 Rooks , Kansas [20163]

Rooks is one of 105 counties in Kansas. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2003 population of 5,382 ranked 67th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Rooks had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$24,988. This PCPI ranked 54th in the state and was 84 percent of the state average, \$29,802, and 79 percent of the national average, \$31,504. The 2003 PCPI reflected an increase of 13.1 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 2.8 percent and the national change was 2.2 percent. In 1993 the PCPI of Rooks was \$15,068 and ranked 99th in the state. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.9 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Rooks had a total personal income (TPI) of \$134,486*. This TPI ranked 67th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1993 the TPI of Rooks was \$89,671* and ranked 75th in the state. The 2003 TPI reflected an increase of 11.6 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 3.2 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 5.1 percent.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Rooks. In 2003 net earnings accounted for 57.5 percent of TPI (compared with 50.4 in 1993); dividends, interest, and rent were 19.1 percent (compared with 25.5 in 1993); and personal current transfer receipts were 23.4 percent (compared with 24.2 in 1993). From 2002 to 2003 net earnings increased 25.0 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 11.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.7 percent. From 1993 to 2003 net earnings increased on average 5.5 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.8 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Rooks increased from \$66,726* in 2002 to \$81,657* in 2003, an increase of 22.4 percent. The 2002-2003 state change was 5.0 percent and the national change was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1993 estimate of \$49,504* to the 2003 estimate was 5.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.0 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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